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January 12, 2016

Mr. Mitchell Williams
1707 Rutland Avenue
Palatka, FL 32177

Re: Presidential Candidacy

Dear Mr. Williams:

Our office is in receipt of your correspondence dated, January 3, 2016, regarding your request to be a write in candidate for U.S. President.

Please be advised that it is possible for you to be a write-in candidate for the 2016 Presidential Election. There is no formal action required to be a write-in candidate since your name is not printed on the ballot. New Jersey's voting machines allow any voter the option of writing a personal choice for any office.

Additional information on becoming a candidate can be found on our website under the heading "Candidate Resources" which contains several links providing further information for prospective candidates, such as age requirements, residency requirements, number of required signatures, etc. You can find this information by visiting the following link <http://nj.gov/state/elections/index.html>.

I hope that you find our website helpful and should you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (609) 292-3760.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Barber", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Donna Barber
Elections Manager

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